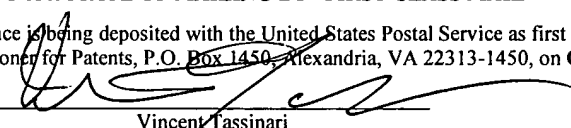




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In complete response to the non-final Office action mailed on APRIL 15, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.